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### Summary of Chemical Data Reporting (CDR) Inorganic Byproducts Negotiating Committee: May Organizational Planning Meeting

On May 9 – 10, 2017, EPA held a public meeting with prospective members of the committee to negotiate a proposed rule providing for limiting chemical data reporting requirements under subsection 8(a) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), for manufacturers of any inorganic byproducts, when such byproducts are subsequently recycled, reused, or reprocessed. This negotiation process is required by TSCA, as amended by the Frank R. Lautenberg Chemical Safety for the 21st Century Act. The objective of the negotiated rulemaking process is to develop and publish a proposed rule by the statutory deadline of June 22, 2019.

Under the TSCA Section 8(a) Chemical Data Reporting (CDR) rule, EPA collects data from manufacturers (including importers) on the manufacturing, processing, and use of chemical substances in commerce, for those chemical substances listed on the TSCA Inventory.

#### Purpose of the Organizational Meeting held on May 9-10, 2017

• For EPA to convene with prospective committee members and the public to exchange information and to discuss the process of negotiated rulemaking. Meeting agenda is attached.

#### Who Attended

- Prospective members:
  - o Inorganic chemical manufacturers and processors, including metal mining and printed circuit board manufacturers; recyclers, including scrap recyclers; and industry advocacy groups
  - o Environmental advocacy groups; State and Tribal government representatives
  - o EPA prospective committee members (2) and advisors from OCSPP, OGC, OECA, OLEM, and OP
- Other members of the public or other Agencies
  - o Small Business Administration (2 representatives)
  - o Members of the public affiliated with prospective members

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## Ex. 5 - Deliberative Process

Steps required to hold the first FACA meeting on June 7-8, 2017

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Attached: Agenda from May meeting and Membership Grid (part of the Membership Package)